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TO: All City and Town Clerks in Massachusetts

FROM: Irene R. McManus, M.P.H.
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DATE: January 30, 1987

RE: Laboratories Approved to Perform Premarital Syphilis and Rubella Serologies

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Attached is a list of clinical laboratories approved to perform the required serological test for syphilis and optional serological test for rubella prior to issuance of a premarital medical certificate. Approval is granted for calendar year 1987.

This list is not all inclusive. It should be used as a guide by all City and Town Clerks in Masachusetts. The back side of the premarital medical certificate form, PH-V6, lists categories of approved laboratories. Briefly, any of the following is an approved laboratory:

A) Laboratories and blood banks licensed in Massachusetts.

B) Laboratories of the Armed Forces, Public Health Services, and Veterans Administration.

C) Laboratories in other states that are Medicare certified or CLIA licensed.

D) Laboratories licensed, certified, approved and/or operated by or for a state Department of Public Health, District of Columbia, New York City, or Territorial Health Department of the United States.

E) Laboratories of the Provincial Health Departments of Canada.

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Questions about these laboratories, or the approval process, may be directed to the Office of Operations Administration at the address above or at 727-5860.

Additional PH-V6 forms may be obtained from the state laboratories by calling 522-3700, Extension 116.

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City/Town	Laboratory Name	Syphilis	Rubella
Acton	Medi-Check	yes	no
Adams	Northern Berkshire Laboratories, d/b/a/ N B Labs	yes	no
Agawam	Internal Medical Associates, PC	yes	no
Amesbury	Amesbury Hospital	yes	yes
Amherst	University Health Service	yes	yes
Athol	Athol Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Attleboro	Sturdy Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Ayer	Nashoba Community Hospital	yes	yes
Belmont	McLean Hospital	yes	yes
Beverly	Beverly Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	First Medical Service	yes	no
Boston	Beacon Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Boston	Metpath Inc. DBA Stat Toxicology Service	yes	no
Boston	Biomedical Lab	yes	yes
Boston	Beth Israel Hospital	yes	no
Boston	Boston City Hospital Clinical Immunology Lab	yes	yes
Boston	Brigham & Women's Hospital Blood Bank	yes	no
Boston	Brigham & Women's Hospital Virology	no	yes
Boston	Carney Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	Children's Hospital Medical Center - Hematology Lab	yes	no
Boston	Children's Hospital - Diagnostic Virology Lab	no	yes
Boston	Columbia Point Health Center	yes	no
Boston	Dana Farber Cancer Inst., Blood Component	yes	no

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Boston	Dimock Community Health Center	yes	no
Boston	East Boston Neighborhood Health Center	yes	yes
Boston	Faulkner Hospital	yes	no
Boston	Fenway Community Health Center	yes	no
Boston	Hahnemann Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	Harvard Street Neighborhood Health Center	yes	yes
Boston	Mass. Osteopathic Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	Jewish Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	Kennedy Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	Massachusetts Eye & Ear Infirmary - Coolidge Clinical Lab	yes	no
Boston	Massachusetts General Hospital - Bacteriology Lab	yes	yes
Boston	Mattapan Community Health Center	yes	yes
Boston	New England Baptist Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	New England Deaconess Hospital	yes	yes
Boston	New England Medical Center Hospital - Clin Microbio Lab	yes	yes
Boston	Northeastern Univ - Lane Health Service - Clinical Lab	yes	yes
Boston	Roxbury Comprehensive Community Health Center	yes	no
Boston	Roxbury Medical Lab	yes	yes
Boston	St. Elizabeth's Hospital- Microbiology Lab	yes	yes
Boston	St. Margaret's Hospital for Women	yes	yes
Boston	South End Community Health Center	yes	no
Boston	University Hospital - Dept Lab Medicine	yes	no

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Boston	Veterans Administration Hospital - Jamaica Plain	yes	no
Boston	Veterans Adminstration Outpatient Clinic	yes	no
Boston	West Roxbury / Brockton V.A. Medical Center	yes	no
Boston	West Roxbury Medical Associates Lab Inc.	yes	no
Bourne	Barnstable County Hospital	yes	no
Braintree	Braintree Hospital	yes	no
Brockton	Goddard Medical Associates Lab	yes	no
Brockton	Plymouth Medical Associates Lab	yes	yes
Brockton	Bio-Stat Lab	yes	yes
Brockton	Brockton Hospital Lab	yes	yes
Brockton	Cardinal Cushing General Hospital	yes	no
Brockton	Medicalab	yes	yes
Brookline	North Shore Medical Lab., Inc.	yes	no
Brookline	Brookline Hospital	yes	no
Burlington	Lahey Clinical Medical Center	yes	no
Cambridge	Bioran Medical Lab	yes	yes
Cambridge	Cambridge Hospital	yes	yes
Cambridge	Harvard University Health Services - Clinical Lab	yes	no
Cambridge	M.I.T. Medical Department	yes	no
Cambridge	Mt. Auburn Hospital	yes	yes
Cambridge	Sancta Maria Hospital	yes	no
Cambridge	Youville Hospital	yes	yes
Chelmsford	Chelmsford Medical Lab., Inc.	yes	yes
Chelsea	Chelsea Memorial Health Care Ctr of Mass General Hospital	yes	no

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Clinton	Clinton Hospital	yes	no
Concord	Emerson Hospital	yes	yes
Danvers	Danvers Clinical Lab., Inc.	yes	yes
Everett	Whidden Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Fall River	Charlton Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Fall River	Hanover Medical Lab., Inc.	yes	no
Fall River	St. Anne's Hospital	yes	no
Falmouth	Falmouth Hospital	yes	yes
Fitchburg	B & R Enterprises Lab	yes	yes
Fitchburg	Burbank Hospital	yes	yes
Framingham	Framingham Union Hospital Lab	yes	no
Framingham	Framingham Union Hospital - Blood Bank	yes	yes
Gardner	Henry Heywood Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Gloucester	Addison Gilbert Hospital	yes	yes
Great Barrington	Fairview Hospital	yes	no
Greenfield	Franklin Medical Center Lab	yes	yes
Greenfield	Greenfield Clinical Lab	yes	yes
Hadley	Hampshire Medical Lab., Inc.	yes	no
Haverhill	Community Labs., Inc. d/b/a N.E. Med. Lab	yes	yes
Haverhill	Haverhill Municipal (Hale) Hospital	yes	yes
Holden	Holden Medical Lab., Inc.	yes	no
Holden	Holden District Hospital	yes	yes
Holyoke	Holyoke Hospital	yes	yes
Holyoke	Providence Hospital	yes	yes
Hyannis	Cape Cod Hospital	yes	yes

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Hyannis	Franey Medical Lab	yes	yes
Lawrence	Lawrence General Hospital	yes	yes
Lawrence	Merrimack Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Leominster	Leominster Hospital	yes	yes
Lexington	Lexington Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Lexington	National Lab	yes	no
Lowell	Lowell General Hospital	yes	yes
Lowell	St. John's Hospital	yes	yes
Lowell	St. Joseph's Hospital	yes	yes
Ludlow	Ludlow Hospital	yes	no
Lynn	Atlanticare Medical Center (Boston St.)	yes	yes
Lynn	Atlanticare Medical Center (Lynnfield St.)	yes	yes
Lynnfield	Enaco, Inc. Lab	yes	yes
Malden	Faulkner Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Malden	Malden Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Malden	Medic Clinical Lab	yes	no
Malden	Malden Hospital Lab	yes	yes
Mansfield	Clinical Science Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Marblehead	Mary A. Alley Hospital	yes	no
Marlboro	Marlboro Hospital	yes	yes
Marlboro	Associates Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Marlboro	Regional Emergency	yes	yes
Medford	Lawrence Memorial Hospital of Medford	yes	yes
Medford	Medford Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Melrose	Melrose-Wakefield Hospital	yes	yes

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Melrose	Mel-Wake Health Services, Inc.	yes	yes
Methuen	Bon Secours Hospital	yes	yes
Methuen	Merrimack Valley Clinic Lab	yes	yes
Middleboro	St. Luke's Hospital of Middleborough Lab	yes	yes
Milford	Bio-Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Milford	Milford-Whitinsville Regional Hospital	yes	no
Milton	Cor-Medical Lab	yes	no
Milton	Milton Medical Lab	yes	yes
Milton	Milton Hospital	yes	yes
Montague	Farren Memorial Hospital	yes	no
Nantucket	Nantucket Cottage Hospital	yes	no
Natick	Leonard Morse Hospital	yes	yes
Natick	Newton Wellesley Medical Lab	yes	yes
Needham	Glover Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
New Bedford	Parkwood Hospital	yes	no
New Bedford	St. Luke's Hospital	yes	yes
Newburyport	Anna Jaques Hospital	yes	yes
Newton	Newton-Wellesley Hospital	yes	yes
Norfolk	Southwood Community Hospital	yes	yes
North Adams	North Adams Regional Hospital	yes	yes
North Attleboro	Robert F. Botts M.D.P.C. Lab	yes	no
Northampton	Cooley Dickinson Hospital	yes	yes
Norwell	South Shore Medical Center	yes	no
Norwood	Norwood Hospital Lab	yes	yes
Norwood	Norwood Hospital Lab	yes	yes
Norwood	Norwood Clinical Lab	yes	no

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Oak Bluffs	Martha's Vineyard Hospital	yes	no
Orleans	Rainey Medical Lab	yes	no
Oxford	Omega Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Palmer	Wing Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Peabody	Atlantic Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Peabody	J.B. Thomas Hospital	yes	no
Pittsfield	Berkshire Medical Center	yes	yes
Pittsfield	Hillcrest Hospital	yes	no
Pittsfield	Canberra Clinical Lab	yes	no
Plymouth	Jordan Hospital	yes	yes
Provincetown	Health Associates of Provincetown Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Quincy	Furnance Brook Medical Lab	yes	yes
Randolph	International Clinical Lab New England	yes	yes
Rutland	Rutland Heights Hospital	yes	no
Salem	Salem Medical Lab	yes	yes
Somerset	Diagnostic Testing, Inc.	yes	yes
Salisbury	Primaricare Lab	yes	yes
Southbridge	Harrington Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Southwick	College Highway Family Practice, P.C.	yes	no
Springfield	Family Care Medical Center	yes	no
Springfield	Pro Med Lab	yes	yes
Springfield	Medical Center Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Springfield	Valley Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Springfield	The Williams Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Springfield	Baystate Medical Center-Division of Microbiology	yes	yes

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Springfield	Mercy Hospital	yes	no
Springfield	Springfield Municipal Hospital	yes	no
Stoneham	New England Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Stoughton	Goddard Memorial Hospital	yes	no
Swampscott	Poly-Med. Lab. Inc.	yes	yes
Taunton	Morton Hospital	yes	yes
Tewksbury	Tewksbury Hospital	yes	no
Waltham	Waltham Hospital Clinical	yes	yes
Waltham	Smith Kline Bio-Science Lab	yes	yes
Waltham	General Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Ware	Mary Lane Hospital	yes	yes
Wareham	Tobey Hospital	yes	yes
Webster	Hubbard Regional Hospital	yes	no
Westwood	Damon Clinical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Westfield	Noble Hospital	yes	no
Westfield	Western Massachusetts Hospital	yes	no
South Weymouth	South Shore Hospital	yes	no
Winchendon	Winchendon Health Center	yes	no
Winchester	Winchester Hospital, Inc.	yes	yes
Winchester	Winchester Medical Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Winthrop	Winthrop Hospital	yes	yes
Woburn	Choate-Symmes Health Services, Inc. - Choate Division	yes	yes
Woburn	Health Resources Corporation - New England Rehab Hospital	yes	no
Worcester	New England Pathology Services, Inc.	yes	yes
Worcester	Bio Medical Lab	yes	yes

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Worcester	Physician's Corperative Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Worcester	Pathology Associates Lab, Inc.	yes	yes
Worcester	St. Vincent Hospital - Section of Infectious Diseases	yes	yes
Worcester	Worcester City Hospital	yes	yes
Worcester	Worcester Memorial Hospital	yes	yes
Worcester	University of Massachusetts Hospital Blood Bank	yes	no
Worcester	University of Massachusetts Med Ctr Clin Microbiology Lab	yes	yes
Worcester	Doctors Hospital of Worcester Lab, Inc.	yes	no
Worcester	Fairlawn Hospital	yes	no